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- CE Two Large Functions to Be Given at the British Embassy-Many Notable Events.

past week. What, with the concert at the White House, on Monday evening, by the Mexican band, the reception at the home of the Secretary of State, on the same date the Gary reception to the postal delegates; the Chandier-Cavis nuptials, and a goodly sprinkling of dinners and out-of-loor affairs, the days have been very acceptably

Yesterday, in addition to several din ners, the kettle-drum and tombola, for the Children's Hospital; the cuchre tourna-ment, for the Humane Society, at Mrs. Barbers, there was the brilliant and delightfullawn party, at the Corcoran Ho which was the Brices' farewell function

to their Washington friends.

In a short time there will be quite an exodus of prominent people. Tomor.ow Baroness von Thielmann leaves for Lenox; In another week the Brices will take their final leave of Washington as a place of About the middle of the week Mr. and Mrs. Parker Mann will go to their summer home; the Barbers will save shortly for Ardsley, on the Hudson, -20 many notables will sail for Europe between this time and the middle of June.

A number of our official families are

getting themselves comfortably settled in the homes which they will occupy luring the coming four years.

The Secretary of War and Mrs. Alger

have selected the house on the corner of Sixteenth and K streets, which grew to be so famous for its hospitality during its oc-cupancy by Gen. and Mrs. Draper.

The Algers began to have their effects loved from the house on Lafayette Square early in the week, and are now quite

settled in their future home
The family of Mr. Thomas R. Ryan, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, is comfortably domiciled at No. 1 Iowa circle, the house immediately adjoining the Venezueian legation.

With the passing of the spring days, when social engagements are few and far between, society has turnedits thoughts to charity, and as a consequence goodly sums have been realized to aid the needy

The "Charity Auction," which was held in the beautiful home of Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, was remarkably successfoi, despite the fact that the attendance was very small, owing to the bad weather. Everything was sold and a larger sum was realized than the promoters of the affair had hoped for. Mr. Parker Mann made a most able auctioneer and the evening proved to be quite delightful from social point of view, as well as financially.

One of the prettiest dinners of the week was that given on Tuesday evening last by Mrs. Condit-Smith, in honor of Miss Jennie Williams, of Buffalo, N. Y. The guests included a number of the most prominent young people of the swell set. Miss Mary Condit-Smith, who is one of the most benetiful young girls of Washington, were on this occasion a Parisian creation of pale pink, accordion plaited, talle over plaited silk of the same shade, with a ouch of violet about the corsage. friends say that Miss Mary was be witch-

ingly lovely in this gown.
The marriage of Miss Kate Chandler to Mr. Henry Minot Cavis, of Concord, N. H., was the most important naptial event of the week, and a very beautiful wedding it was.

The drawing-rooms were filled with the perfume of roses, which, intermingled with vines and tall palms, made a beautirobes of satin and diaphanous mousseline The rare lace ornamenting the gown had been worn at the marriage of the bride's

Several dinners have been announced for the coming week, which will be very en-

Joyable affairs. Among the hosts and hostesses for these affairs will be the Minister of Mexico and Mme. Romero, who will entertain on the evening of May 18, in honor of the Vice President and Mrs. Hobart, and the United States Minister to Belgium and Mrs Beilamy who will entertain on Wednes

Mr and Mrs. C. C. Glover will entertain a number of young people at a dance on Wednesday evening at their charming country home, Westover.

The British Ambassader and Lady Pauncefote, accompanied by the Misse auncefote, will sail for England about the middle of June, and arrive in time for the gayest part of the London eason, and, of course, for the queen' diamond jubilee.
On this occasion it is considered highly

probable that in the distribution of hon ors, Sir Julian will be made a peer o England, in which case the Misses Paunce ote will be entitled to have the utle 'Right Honorable" precede their names During these warm spring days the young ladles of Sir Julian's household have been giving much time to outdoor sports. Golf and wheeling have received an equal amount of attention. The four daughters, Miss Pauncefote, the Misses Sibyl, Lillian and Audrey Pauncefote, are every day. Sir Julian is an enthusiastic tricyclist and it is said that he first mas tered the machine in his spacious ballroom where he preferred to practice rather than to take his tumbles in the presence of the omnipresent small boy, who is no

respecter of persons.

Just across the street from the British mbassy is the legation of Austro-Hungary, the fair mistress of which, Baroness Hen gelmuller, often joins the Pauncefotes or

their wheeling expeditions. Miss Pauncefote is quite musical, and is member of the musical morning class which comprises all the elite of the Capi tal, who are musically-inclined, and which has a most able and talented leader in Mme. Albertini. This charming lady tas recently left Washington, to occupy her eautiful summer home, at Coburg, N. Y. and the class will be discontinued during

Miss Lillian Pauncefote is a water color artist of ability, and her work shows power and originality. She has recently joined a sketching class, which is directed by Mr. Edwin Lomosure, the well-known water color artist, of this city.

The secretaries and attaches of the Britisl egation comprise a number of young men who are very popular in society, and who are much sought after by the dinner givers. They are, respectively, Capt. Lewis Winty, naval attache; Mr. Henry Outram Bax-Irom-side, second secretary; Mr. Reginald Tower, second secretary; Mr. Hugh J. O'Beirne, third secretary; Mr. Kavanaugh, fourth secretary; the Earl of Westmeath, attache; and Mr. Ronald Maclesy, attache.

Baroness von Thielmann, wife of the German ambassador, will leave for Lenox tomorrow morning, where she will spend the summer. Her sister, the Countess Ross, will accompany her.

Baroness von Thielmannis most cordially iked by the society people of Washing

diplomatic corps.

Although she bas only spent three seasons at the National Capital, she has gained many warm friends, who have learned to appreciate her fine character and massuming manners. The baroness is a lady of the highest of marked culture and a most interesting conversationalist.

The interior of the handsome embassy on Highland Terrace evidences her excellent taste. The furnishings and decorpcellent taste. The furnishings and decorations are in perfect harmony, and, while



BARONESS VON THIELMANN.

there are beautiful bronzes, statues and paintings by noted artists, there is none of that crowding together of a hetero-geneous collection of pictures or bric-a-brac as one too frequently sees in many

fashionable homes, Baroness von Thielmann dresses very simply but always in the most elegant materials. Her favorite gowns, for street wear, are plain, tailor-made effects in dark cloths In such a gown she is very frequently seen shopping on F street or

ever appeared more lovely than yesterday afternoon, the occasion being a lawn party given by Mrs. Brice as a farewell to her friends in this city.

vines and clusters of blossoms.

There were groups of daintily gowned girls and handsome women sipping tea under the shade of a mammoth Chinese umbrella. Others were seated on rustic benches, or gathered about the fountain. Mrs. Brice wore a gown of the sheerest

feta, and wore a large picture hat, trim-med with pink roses. Miss Helen Brice was gowned in pink mousseline de soie, över pink silk, and wore a black Gainsborough

ing-room strawberries and cream, sand-wiches and salads were served.

Among the guests were the British Am-bassador and Lady Pauncefote, the German Ambassador and Baroness Von Thielmann, the Minister of Austria-Hungary and Baroness Hengelmuller, the French Ambassa-Spain and Mme. Dupuy de Lome, the Min ister of Mexico and Mme Romero, the Minister of Chile and Miss Gana, Miss Andrade, Mr. Eduardo Andrade, Dr. Andrade, Mr. Gana, Mrs. Boardman, the Misses Boardman, Mrs Richard Wallach, Miss Rose Douglass Wallach, Mme. de Mendonca, the Misses de Mendonca, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Beath, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Sartoris, Miss Sartoris, ex-Minister to Spain and Mrs. Batcheller, Miss Patcheller, Mrs. Henderson, Senator and Mrs. Davis, Sen Mr. Kavanaugh, the Earl of Westmeath Mr. Troubert, Miss Martha Hichborn, Miss Cassells, Mrs. Micou, Miss Herbert, Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Carlisle, Mrs. Storer, and all of the postal delegates, as well as many other prominent people.

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linen. Miss Kate Brice was gowned in pale green, embroidered mulle over taf-

hat, with black ostrich tips.

Tables for all kinds of refreshments were scattered about the lawn, and in the din-

The British Ambassador and Lady Paunce fote entertained anotable company of young people at dinner last evening. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Charidia, the Italian Ambassador, Mme. Patenotre, Mr. Gavan

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O'Beirne, Miss Boardman, Miss Rose Doug-lass Wallach, Miss Sherrill, and Miss Will-will wear a gown of white satin, with lams. The decorations were of maidenhair ferns and hydrangeas.

The British Ambassador will entertain the delegates of the Postal Congress at lawn party on Thursday, May 20, at 4:30 o'clock. On Monday, May 24, a dinner will be given by Sir Julian and Lady Panncef ite in honor of the Queen's birthday.

The marriage of Miss Lorena Langdon this city, will take place on June 22, at Ardsley Towers on the Hudson, the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Barber.

The wedding will be in the afternoon and the ten bridesmaids will wear gowns of rainbow tints. The bridesmaids are to be Miss Bertha Langdon Barber, sister of the bride; Miss BON MARCHE.

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Ardsley Towers, and return, Dr. A. B. Barber, of Oberlin, Oho, grandfather of the bride, will officiate, assisted by Rev. Dr. J. E. Ren-kin, who married the bride's parents twenty-sin years ago. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will make their home at Dobbs Ferry, on the Hudson.

The Tuesday afternoons at Clifton, with the French Ambassador and Mme Patenotre as host and hostess, are proving to be very delightful to their large circle of friends. On last Tuesday they were assisted in receiving their guests by Miss

The Card Club held its last meeting of he season on Friday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. De Witt Arnold. Those participating in the game wer Mr. and Mrs. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. The son, Capt. and Mrs. Carson, Miss Kaufman, Miss Carson, Miss Beveredge, Miss Will-

The regular meeting of the Continental Chapter, Daughters of the American Revi lution, will be held tomorrow evening. May 17, at the Elsmere, at 8 o'clock. I'not Gordon will be the essayist for the even ing, and a musical program will be ren

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